Open Enrollment Fact Sheet Technical Employees Association (TEA)



Changes for next year

• For KingCare (Regence) members, the pharmacy benefit administrator will be CVS Caremark® (was Express Scripts). Welcome Kits will be mailed by CVS in December.

Required actions

- Select the appropriate Benefit Access Fee—or exemption. A monthly \$50 Benefit Access Fee is automatically applied if you cover a spouse or domestic partner on your medical plan. If you qualify for an exemption, you must confirm it each year. If you later qualify for an exemption, fees already paid will not be refunded.
- To reduce your taxable income with a Health Care or Dependent Care Flexible Spending Account, you must enroll each year.

Other Open Enrollment choices

- Change medical plans—consider whether Group Health is the right plan for your family.
- Add or discontinue dependent coverage.
- View your Healthy IncentivesSM color level for next year's out-of-pocket medical expenses.
- Make changes to your supplemental life, supplemental AD&D, and supplemental long-term disability insurance.

Open Enrollment steps

- 1. Open Enrollment must be done online at kingcounty.gov/mybenefits.
- 2. Sign in to PeopleSoft with your user ID and password. For help, call 206-263-4357.
- 3. Select the appropriate Benet Access Fee—or exemption.
- 4. Use the Final Submit button to save your selections & print a summary of your 2017 benefits.

Learn more

- Open Enrollment info: kingcounty.gov/open-enrollment
- Benefits info: kingcounty.gov/employees/benefits
- Recorded benefit info: 1-800-347-8046

Option 1 – Open Enrollment overview

Option 2 - Benefit Access Fee

Option 3 – Save money with Group Health and Flexible Spending Accounts

Get help

If you need assistance during Open Enrollment, contact Benefits, Payroll and Retirement Operations:

- Chinook Building, 2nd Floor, 401 Fifth Avenue, Seattle, WA 98104
- 206-684-1556 or KC.Benefits@KingCounty.gov
- 9 a.m. 4 p.m., Monday Friday. Closed on Veterans Day: Nov. 11.